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MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION.

No. 2281.

The following licence condition will be enforced from November 1, 1914:—

XIV CARGO BOAT
XV FERRY AND PASSENGER BOAT
XVI STEAM LAUNCH
XVII CHINESE BOAT

No. 5A. That no bricks, lime or other building materials, be landed at any public pontoon, jetty, or landing place, or on any public road, without the Council's permit, which may be obtained on application at the Public Works Office.

By order,

W. E. LEVESON,
Secretary.

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 29, 1914.

(*Translation*)

工部局論

自本年十月廿日起凡西式輪船一艘駛入本處第五甲之華執照一式兩張除繳渡船費外報局准在工程開火西人執照內小火輪拖帶駁船及各公用浮筒之有碼頭或道路照章運灰頭或各公用岸之碼頭或公用浮筒之有碼頭或道路照章運卸及各項造岸各程

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION.

No. 2282.

THE Municipal Offices will be closed to public business during the race days, viz., Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, November 9, 10 and 11.

By order,

W. E. LEVESON,
Secretary.

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 5, 1914.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION.

No. 2283.

LOAN OF 1914.

UNDER the authority of Resolutions V and VIII passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on March 20, 1914, the Council hereby invites tenders for debentures to the extent of Tls. 200,000.

The debentures will bear interest at the rate of 5½ per centum per annum, payable on December 31 and June 30 in each year. They will be redeemable in not less than 10 and not more than 30 years at such times, in such amounts, and in such manner, as the Council may from time to time determine.

Tenders for the whole of the Loan or for any part thereof will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Wednesday, November 18, when the allotment will be made. They should be marked "Tenders for Debentures," and sealed.

The scrip will be issued in amounts of Tls. 100 and upwards, to suit the convenience of tenderers.

The entire sum allotted will be payable upon notice of allotment, and failing such payment the allotment may be cancelled.

By order,

W. E. LEVESON,
Secretary.

Council Room,
Shanghai, November 5, 1914.

AT the meeting of the Building Rules Commission held on Thursday, October 29, 1914, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

Present:

Messrs. H. C. Gulland (*Chairman*)
F. H. Crossley
W. H. Trenchard Davis
E. C. Emmett
S. J. Halse
C. Harpur (*Deputy Engineer*)
P. Peebles
M. W. Pett (*Chief Officer, Fire Brigade*)
G. H. Wright (*Legal Adviser*)

The meeting adjourned at 6.40 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Parks Committee held on Friday, October 30, 1914, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

Present:

Messrs. E. Jenner Hogg (*Chairman*)
Rev. Brother Faust
P. Peebles

The meeting adjourned at 5.05 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Electricity Committee held on Monday, November 2, 1914, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

Present:

Messrs. C. R. Burkill (*Chairman*)
F. A. Fairchild
G. Wuilleumier

Absent:

Messrs. C. M. Bain
A. S. P. White-Cooper

The meeting adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

AT the meeting of the Council held on Wednesday, November 4, 1914, at 4.30 p.m., there were:—

Present:

Messrs. E. C. Pearce (*Chairman*)
E. I. Ezra
H. Figge
H. C. Gulland
A. Hide
C. G. S. Mackie
W. L. Merriman

Absent:

Messrs. C. E. Anton
A. S. P. White-Cooper

The meeting adjourned at 6.50 p.m.

Volunteer Corps.

Maxim Battery.—The resignation of Lieut. H. E. Middleton, reported by the Commandant, is accepted by the Council with regret.

Scandinavian Company.—Application to form a unit open to Danish, Norwegian and Swedish residents:

Shanghai, October 22, 1914.

SIR,—In the event it should be found possible to form a Scandinavian Company, S.V.C., would the Council be prepared to accept such a unit to the strength of the S.V.C. under similar conditions as other companies are accepted.

Should there be any printed rules for the S.V.C. I should be pleased to receive a copy by return.

Yours faithfully,

E. ANDREN.

The SECRETARY,
Municipal Council.

Council Room,
Shanghai, October 29, 1914.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October 22 on the subject of the formation of a Scandinavian Company in the Shanghai Volunteer Corps.

In reply thereto I am to state that the Council will sanction the formation of such a unit provided as many as 30 resident Scandinavians are willing to enroll themselves, such number not to include transfers from existing units of the Corps.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

W. E. LEVESON,
Secretary.

E. ANDREN, Esq.

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National Companies.—From the foregoing correspondence, and from that in previous issues of the Gazette relating to Austro-Hungarian and Scottish Companies, it will be seen that the Council has been unable to refuse offers, the acceptance of which will add materially to the active strength of the Volunteer Corps. These offers have illustrated the fact that the idea of National Companies is an effective recruiting agency, and as such, in view of the great desirability of enlarging the Corps, the Council cannot afford to discard it. At the same time if the present tendency is carried further the upshot cannot be otherwise than unfavourable to the unity, and therefore to the strength of the Corps, as a whole. The Council is aware of the international traditions which underlie the efficiency of many of the older units, traditions which date from the establishment of the Mih-Ho-Loong Rifles in 1878. It is therefore earnestly hoped that the current influx of recruits and the wave of volunteering activity in the Settlement may be diverted into channels leading as much in the direction of maintaining the strength and efficiency of existing well-established units as in the formation of new ones.

Road Extensions and Widenings.

Nanking Road.—Correspondence as to the compensation payable in respect of the area scheduled from Lot 244. The case will be referred for settlement by the Land Commission at its next meeting:—

Shanghai, March 5, 1914.

DEAR SIR,—With reference to the plan forwarded to you on March 8, 1912, showing an area of Mow 0.092 scheduled from B.C. Lot 235, Cadastral No. 244, for road purposes, I shall be glad if you will kindly let me have a claim for surrender of the land scheduled for acquisition for submission to the Council.

Yours faithfully,

C. H. GODFREY,

Engineer & Surveyor.

J. AMBROSE, Esq.,

for Messrs Probst, Hanbury & Co. Ld.

Shanghai, March 24, 1914.

DEAR SIR,—Referring to your letter of March 5 to our Mr. Ambrose requesting us to let you have our claim for the surrender of land scheduled for widening the Nanking Road ex Cad. Lot No. 244 and measuring as per plan Mow 0.092, our claim for same is at its assessed value, viz., Tls. 34,000 per mow plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, or say Tls. 3,441 in all.

We need hardly point out to you that the above surrender constitutes a worsement, as the excision of the scheduled piece has converted what was originally a straight line of frontage to the Nanking Road which would have allowed of the new shops being equally spaced, into an irregular line, so that in the rebuilding the shops have of necessity to be designed to suit that irregular line rather than that of the lot as a whole.

We are, dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

PROBST, HANBURY & CO., LD.,

L. MIDWOOD,

Director.

C. H. GODFREY, Esq.,

Engineer & Surveyor.

Council Room,

Shanghai, April 16, 1914.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 24, addressed to the Municipal Engineer, on the subject of the surrender of the scheduled portions of Lot 244, Nanking Road.

In reply thereto I am to state that the Council is unable to agree with your view that the surrender constitutes a worsement, for it is obvious that the Foreign shops of imposing elevation which are designed for this property will stand better on a 60-foot road aligned with the adjoining property, Lot 243, than were they to project over the pavement, as would be the case were no improvement scheduled.

The Council admits that the broken frontage line is to some extent a disadvantage, and therefore desires a deduction of one-sixth only in respect of what is regarded as an unquestionable betterment.

I may add that this basis, i.e., the assessed value plus ten per cent. and minus one-sixth, would be similar to that adopted in respect of Lot 243. Vide Municipal Gazette of June 19, 1913, page 148.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

W. E. LEVESON,

Secretary.

Messrs. PROBST, HANBURY & CO., LD.

Shanghai, April 27, 1914.

DEAR SIR,—We are in receipt of your letter of April 16 re surrender ex Cadastral Lot No. 244 Central for widening the Nanking Road, and note from it that the Council cannot agree with our contention that the surrender in question constitutes a worsement. We, however, wish to point out that whilst in our letter of March 24 we stated we considered the lot suffered a worsement by the surrender, we made no claim for such, our claim for compensation being based on the assessed value of the land plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender.

It may be obvious to the Council that "the Foreign shops of imposing elevation which are designed for this property will stand better on a 60 feet road aligned with the adjoining property, Lot 243, than were they to project over the pavement as would be the case were no improvement scheduled," but it is manifestly absurd for anyone to attempt to contend that the surrender of a triangular piece of land 11 feet at its base and 120 feet in length, thereby converting what was a straight line of frontage into an irregular one, can in any way be construed as a benefit to the lot, and it is upon that ground we say that the surrender constitutes a worsement, though we made no claim for it as we perhaps should have done.

We were perfectly content to allow the line of frontage to remain where and as it was even if the new buildings are to be "Foreign shops of imposing elevation" and which this surrender will not improve, so that the improvement you speak of, if any, must be for the benefit of the public.

You ask us in your letter under reply to accept a deduction of one-sixth on our claim, and in support of that request you cite the surrender ex Cadastral Lot No. 243, but that case is in no way applicable as you paid for it at the rate of Tls. 49,000 per mow, whereas the Assessment was Tls. 45,000 per mow, and it was on the assessed value only we based our claim.

The case that appears to us to be more applicable is Case XIX heard by the Land Commissioners in 1904 in connexion with a surrender ex Cadastral Lot No. 159.

That lot was let on a building lease at a sterling rental, and the Award of the Commissioners was based on the actual sterling rental of the land less 2½ per cent. management expenses plus 10 per cent. for compulsory surrender, with no allowance for betterment.

Lot 244 is also let on a building lease at a sterling rental, and the value of the surrender on that basis capitalized at 6 per cent. minus *5 per cent.* for management expenses with *no allowance for compulsory surrender* amounts to Tls. 4,200.72, whereas our claim is Tls. 3,441 only.

In the case of Cadastral Lot No. 159, the then Secretary gave as a reason why betterment should be allowed, that the Nanking Road frontage of that lot would be straightened by the surrender, but in the case of Lot 244 a straight frontage is being converted into an irregular one, so that inversely, the latter lot suffers a worsement.

In connexion with this surrender, we beg to draw your attention to what you are probably not aware of, viz., that this lot has in the past been subjected to a very considerable road widening, as we in July 1883 surrendered from it a strip 12 feet to 14 feet in width, and measuring Mow 0.756, so that the present surrender would appear to be due to the diverse opinions as to how the widening of the Nanking Road should be treated.

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In conclusion, we regret we cannot agree to what we consider to be a most unreasonable request for a deduction of one-sixth in our claim on the ground of a betterment where no betterment but rather a worsement is created, and should the Council decide to bring this case before the Land Commission, we reserve to ourselves the right to withdraw the claim we have made, and substitute for it another based on the Award in Case XIX.

We are, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
PROBST, HANBURY & CO., LD.,
L. MIDWOOD,
Director.

W. E. LEVESON, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

Council Room,
Shanghai, May 26, 1914.

GENTLEMEN,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of April 27, on the subject of the widening of the Nanking Road ex Lot 244, which matter has had very careful attention at the hands of the Council.

Your letter in the first place states that "it is manifestly absurd for anyone to attempt to contend that the surrender of a triangular piece of land 11 feet at its base and 120 feet in length, thereby converting what was a straight line of frontage into an irregular one, can in any way be construed as a benefit to the lot." In reply I am to point out that no such contention was made by the Council; indeed my letter of April 16 admitted that the broken frontage line is, to some extent, a disadvantage. The absurdity of the contention, however, is less manifest upon closer inspection of the ground plan of the buildings which you propose to erect upon the property, for the new building line for the five eastern stores will become more nearly parallel to the back line of the lot, while the angle of the north-east corner is made less acute by the change.

The Council receives your statement that you "were perfectly content to allow the line of frontage to remain where and as it was" with surprise almost amounting to incredulity. The standard pavement to be laid down in the Nanking Road would, in these circumstances, have diminished from 10 feet at the centre of the frontage of the property to nil at the eastern end, in fact the most easterly store would have opened directly upon the carriage-way: surely some disadvantage.

As regards Lot 243 I am directed to point out that no suggestion has been received from yourselves that the rate of payment upon which compensation is based be increased, and that in the case of Lot 243 the assessment of the lot was raised simultaneously to the figure you mention.

In regard to Case XIX, decided by the Land Commission ten years ago, the Council recalls that at the date in question the equity of securing payment by the owner concerned of some part of the cost of a street improvement in front of his property was not so clearly recognised as it has been since. The premises of Messrs. Hope Bros. & Co., Ld. have, in the Council's opinion, derived very considerable advantage from having been set back to a line which admits of ample pavement space in front of their shop windows.

I find no justification for your assuming that I was not aware of the surrender from this property in 1883, and to this I must add that the deduction you make from your assumption, viz. that there have been diverse opinions as to how the widening of the Nanking Road be treated, is due perhaps to the fact that you have yourselves forgotten that in 1883 the Council had no powers to bring about the compulsory surrender of land for road purposes, and was under the necessity of making the best terms with landowners which it could; since the passing of Article VIA of the Land Regulations in 1899 the Council has been able to compel landowners and agents to adopt a scheduled building line. I may add that the present line of this section of the Nanking Road was laid down in 1902.

In conclusion I am to state that the Council fully realises the advantage which the public will secure by the present improvement, and is prepared to defray out of the public funds five-sixth of its cost. In the event of your failing to recognise the obligation of the owners to provide the remaining sixth the Council will submit the case for settlement to the Land Commissioners.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
W. E. LEVESON,
Secretary.

Messrs. PROBST, HANBURY & CO., LD.

Shanghai, October 14, 1914.

DEAR SIR,—We have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of May 26, re surrender ex Cadastral Lot No. 244, Central, and the buildings on the lot being still in course of construction, is the chief reason why we did not reply earlier.

Your letter under reply has in no way shaken our opinion that the lot will not be bettered by the surrender, and we doubt very much if public opinion would have allowed the Council to do away with the pavement at the eastern end of the lot had the new buildings been erected on the old line.

To suggest such a thing seems to us to savour very much of a threat that such action would be taken by the Council where it required a surrender and had been unable to come to terms with the owner, in districts outside the scope of Article VIA of the Land Regulations.

With regard to the concluding paragraph of your letter, we cannot admit of any obligation on the owners to provide one-sixth of our claim for this surrender. To do so would be to admit that by our letters we had been endeavouring to support a claim for compensation in excess of what we were prepared to accept.

We are, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
PROBST, HANBURY & CO., LD.,
L. MIDWOOD,
Director.

W. E. LEVESON, Esq.,
Secretary, Municipal Council.

Municipal Staff.

Volunteer Corps.—The service of Sergeant-Major C. H. Wikins terminated on October 29, the date of expiry of his agreement.

Police Force.—Sergeant F. M. King was reduced to the rank of 1st Class Constable from October 16.

2nd Class Constable T. S. Fry was promoted to be 1st Class Constable with effect from October 25.

Health Department.—Miss G. L. Burgell and Miss G. Morris were appointed Nurses from October 23.

Public Works Department.—Mr. W. de Rijke was appointed Junior Clerk on three months probation from October 19.

Electricity Department.—Six months leave was granted to Meter Reader T. Murphy with effect from November 15.

Voluntary War Service.—The following have availed themselves of the provisions of the arrangement contained in the Gazette of October 15:—

Electricity Department.—Mr. R. B. Roach, Clerical Assistant.

Finance Department.—Mr. C. Wilson, Junior Clerk.

Notification of Infectious Disease.

The following have been reported during the week ending Sunday, November 1, 1914.	Cases notified among Non-Chinese population of 14,300	Deaths among Chinese population of 520,000
Small-pox.	0	5
Cholera.	0	0
Typhoid Fever.	0	—
Diphtheria.	0	1
Scarlet Fever.	1	0
Tuberculosis.	0	25
Plague.	0	4
Dysentery	2	3
Total Deaths from all Causes	6	139

ARTHUR STANLEY,
Health Officer.

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Plans of New Buildings Approved.

Cad. Lot	Road.	Applicant.	Description.
			Foreign
278	Shantung & Honan	Chinese	7 shops (amended plan)
S of 1561	Paoting	China Land & Building Co., Ld.	1 house (amended plan)
			Chinese
278	Shantung & Honan	Chinese	65 houses (amended plan)
1079	Woosung	Prost, Hanbury & Co., Ld.	63 houses & 4 gatehouses
E of 2708	Baikal	Chinese	Additions to house
N of 378	Hailar	do.	5 sheds
N of 1318a	Yochow	do.	2 houses
S of 1983 1985	Chengtu	Lester, Johnson & Morriss	43 houses & 2 gatehouses
S of 1872	do.	Chinese	3 houses & 1 gatehouse
1737 1740 1751	Chungking	Lester, Johnson & Morriss	103 houses & 3 gatehouses (amended plan)
1744	Chungking & Avenue Edouard VII	Chinese	4 houses
S of 1699	Manila	Davies & Brooke	6 houses
600	Myburgh	Chinese	Additions to house
W of 555 562	Shanhaikwan and Chengtu	do.	3 houses

Health Officer's Report for October.

The incidence of Amoebic Dysentery, which was severe during July, August and September, lessened with the onset of cooler weather.

Smallpox shows signs of increasing prevalence. The present is the best time to get vaccinated. 1,783 free vaccinations for Chinese and indigent foreigners have been done at the 16 Sub-district Health Offices during the month.

The occurrence of human cases of Plague which was recorded towards the end of September in the 3rd Northern Sub-district continued during October, 15 cases being reported, 9 of which were fatal. All these cases have arisen in the 3rd Northern Sub-district, that is to say, the section of the Northern District lying between North Szechuen and North Honan Roads; especially in the vicinity of Boone Road. This area continues to be rat-infected. The property is mostly dilapidated, rat-ridden and over-crowded. Dead rats, some of which were plague-infected, were found in the hollow ceilings and below the ground floor of these houses during rat-proofing operations. 209 houses were so far as possible rat-proofed during the month, while measures of disinfestation were undertaken in 169 others.

Here follow tables of Vital Statistics, Infectious Diseases and Outdoor Sanitary Work, including a special summary of Plague Prevention, work done in the Municipal Laboratory, Municipal Hospitals and Slaughterhouse.

ARTHUR STANLEY,
Health Officer.

DEATHS.

	Foreign. Resident	Foreign. Non-resident.	Chinese.
Small-pox	0	0	16
Cholera	0	0	0
Typhoid Fever	5	1	—
Diphtheria	0	0	4
Scarlet Fever	0	0	0
Tuberculosis	5	0	85
Plague	0	0	9
Beri-beri	4	0	10
Dysentery	3	1	19
From all causes	32	5	677

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED AMONG FOREIGN RESIDENT POPULATION.

Small-pox	0
Cholera	0
Typhoid Fever	3
Diphtheria	6
Scarlet Fever	2
Tuberculosis	1
Plague	0
Dysentery	21

ISOLATION HOSPITALS.

		Foreign.	Chinese
Cases Admitted—	Small-pox	0	3
	Cholera	0	0
	Typhoid Fever	0	0
	Diphtheria	7	6
	Scarlet Fever	3	3
	Beri-beri	0	3
	Other Diseases	13	55
Discharged		16	61
Died		0	6
Remaining last day of month		10	55

MUNICIPAL LABORATORY.

Small-pox vaccine issued	4,375
Cases undergoing anti-rabic treatment	7
Bacteriological examinations	415
Analyses	38

VICTORIA NURSING HOME.

	Cases admitted.	Nursed outside
Medical	31	0
Surgical	15	1
Maternity	9	3
Mental	1	0
Infectious	0	0
	—	—
Total	56	4

SLAUGHTER-HOUSE RETURNS.

	Slaughtered.	Rejected at Slaughter-house.	Passed for Slaughter from Cattle-sheds.	Passed for Export from Cattle-sheds.	Rejected at Cattle-sheds.
Oxen	1347	2	1347	0	0
Sheep	2223	0	2223	10	0
Calves	312	0	312	0	0
Pigs	185	0	0	0	0

SUMMARY OF PLAGUE PREVENTION WORK

	District				Total
	Central	Northern	Eastern	Western	
Rats found dead and brought to the Laboratory for examination	220	396	326	183	1125
Rats plague infected	1	22	1	0	24
Human plague cases.....	0	15	0	0	15
No. of traps in operation	2500	3200	3600	1400	10700
No. of rats trapped and burnt	4256	4935	2409	2329	13929
Poisoned baits laid	100300	238950	185000	74800	599050
Houses temporarily rat-proofed and disinfected under notice to occupier	0	169	0	0	169
Houses rat-proofed under notice to owner	21	217	2	19	259
Persons vaccinated against plague	0	0	0	0	0

REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF WATER.

Sample received September 25, 1914.

Report sent out November 2, 1914.

Sample of Shanghai Waterworks Co.'s Water.

Physical Characters.—Yellowish green colour with moderate opacity. Faintly alkaline reaction.

Solid Matter in Solution	17.6
a.—Volatile	7.1
b.—Fixed	10.5
Appearance on Ignition—Slight charring	
Total Hardness	9.5
a.—Temporary	4.5
b.—Permanent	5.0
Chlorine	2.85
Nitrogen as Nitrates	0.0717
Saline Ammonia	0.0014
Albuminoid Ammonia	0.0118
Poisonous Metals	Nil
Nitrites	Nil
Phosphates	Minute traces
Sulphates	Traces
Oxygen absorbed in 1 hour at 37° C.	0.0301

Bacteriological Examination.—Gelatine plates at 23° C. showed an average of 186 microbes per cubic centimetre.

Agar plates at 37° C. showed an average of 200 microbes per cubic centimetre.

Organisms of the coli group were present in quantities of 2 cubic centimetres and upwards of the water.

Report on Analysis.—A sample of water of a high degree of chemical and of fair biological purity.

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GENERAL SANITARY WORK.

	District				Total.
	Eastern	Northern	Central	Western	
Vaccination against small-pox	356	408	313	796	1873
Enquiries after notification of Foreign cases of infectious disease	7	19	3	9	38
Enquiries after notification of Chinese cases of, and deaths from, infectious disease	73	93	19	16	201
Rooms disinfected after infectious disease	202	1233	109	345	1889
Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., disinfected by steam	1423	5629	1317	2654	11023
Houses cleansed and limewashed	189	348	414	105	1506
Ventilation and lighting amended	2	3	1	0	6
Defective drainage amended	23	36	15	40	114
Insanitary wells abolished...	0	2	0	0	2
Proper water supply provided	2	1	0	0	3
Insanitary latrines and urinals rendered healthy ...	1	4	8	40	53
Ordure pits and kongs abolished	44	0	0	24	68
Exposed coffined corpses removed and buried	17	18	0	5	40
Smoke nuisances suppressed	0	8	1	0	9
Offensive trade processes amended	0	0	0	0	0
Beggar-boats removed...	34	0	0	49	83
Complaints of insanitary conditions received from the Public	3	27	19	20	69
Insanitary conditions reported by the Health Office.	79	103	41	62	312
Written intimations issued for sanitary amendment	9	396	39	7	451
Second written intimations issued for sanitary amendment	0	0	0	0	0
Notices of intention to proceed served	0	0	0	0	0
Samples taken for analysis...	11	2	0	18	31
Pounds of unsound food destroyed	306	876	20	111	1313
Hawkers brought into Markets	146	214	2	109	471
Food prosecutions...	1	34	9	1	45
House refuse prosecutions	59	45	42	32	178
Laundry and other prosecutions	4	4	19	0	27
Tons of ordure removed	2029	2409	2591	1503	8532
Tons of house refuse removed	2174	3743	3821	1628	11,366
Cement refuse receptacles erected	5	13	9	23	50

MILK FROM LICENSED DAIRIES EXAMINED IN THE LABORATORY AND FOUND ADULTERATED, ETC.

Dairy	Licensee	Situation	Adulteration, etc.
Yui Chong	Yau Z. Kya	M. 756 Avenue Road	13% added water

Electrical Engineer's Report for August and September.

General.—The working of the Department for the two months August and September may be considered generally satisfactory, although it will be noticed that there was a small falling off in the number of units sold during the latter month, in power, more especially in traction supply which was less by 40,242 units. The coal used per unit is still in the downward grade.

Riverside.—Good progress has been made with the extension work. The four boilers are nearing completion. The first 5,000 K.W. turbo-alternator has already been on load for a short period. With the temporary steam pipe connexions it has been possible to get 4,000 K.W. output from the machine. This may be regarded as satisfactory inasmuch as it provides additional reserve of generating plant although until the boilers are ready—and their availability for service is dependent upon the erection of the delayed main pipework just arrived—the total capacity of the power house will not be appreciably increased.

COMPARATIVE TABLE—AUGUST.

	1913.	1914.
Total lamps connected (equiv. 30 watts)	380,467	465,861
Lamps connected during month	8,132	4,115
House service connexions during month	333	354
Motors—horse power, to date	4,118	6,763
Units generated	2,059,159	3,610,194
Units sold	1,735,326	3,204,457
Ratio between units generated and sold %	84.27	88.76
Private lighting	673,257	974,229
Public lighting	74,340	79,020
Heating	6,087	5,758
Power	549,928	1,385,054
Traction	271,357	329,843
Units accounted for	160,357	430,553
Coal tons	3,837	4,629
Coal per unit generated lb.	4.17	2.87
Coal per unit sold "	4.95	3.24
Oil gallons	362	170
Water "	266,000	585,000

COMPARATITE TABLE—SEPTEMBER.

	1913.	1914.
Total lamps connected (equiv. 30 watts)	384,771	470,982
Lamps connected during month	4,657	5,121
House service connexions during month	272	265
Motors—horse power, to date	4,584	6,755
Units generated	2,227,387	3,492,022
Units sold	1,916,107	3,074,479
Ratio between units generated and sold %	86.02	88.04
Private lighting	698,774	999,358
Public lighting	80,900	84,223
Heating	8,121	5,635
Power	629,194	1,269,479
Traction	263,889	289,601
Units accounted for	235,229	426,183
Coal tons	3,767	4,370
Coal per unit generated lb.	3.79	2.80
Coal per unit sold "	4.4	3.18
Oil gallons	195	227
Water "	170,000	398,000

MAINS REPORT—AUGUST.

Underground mains laid in :

Quinsan Road, Haining Road, Sinza Road and Peking Road.

6,626 yds. .15 sq. in. x .15 sq. in. x .15 sq. in. 3-core, 11,000 volt lead covered and armoured cable.

2,508 yds. .0084 sq. in. x .0084 sq. in. x .0084 sq. in. 3-core pilot lead covered and armoured cable.

Yangtszepoo Road.

114 yds. .15 sq. in. x .15 sq. in. x .15 sq. in. 3-core, 6,000 volt lead covered and armoured cable.

228 yds. .0084 sq. in. x .0084 sq. in. x .0084 sq. in. 3-core, pilot lead covered and armoured cable.

Ferry Road.

98 yds. .05 sq. in. x .05 sq. in. x .05 sq. in. 3-core, 6,000 volt lead covered and armoured cable.

9,574 yds.=5.43 miles.

Overhead Mains.

Low-tension Feeders extended 742 yds.=0.42 miles

" " Distributors extended 3,953 yds.=2.28 miles

" " Distributors enlarged 1,140 yds.=0.64 miles

Direct current mains extended 408 yds.=0.23 miles

E.H.T. Feeders extended 2,035 yds.=1.15 miles

Alleyway mains extended 6,153 yds.=3.49 miles

Public Lighting mains extended 2,199 yds.=1.24 miles

Poles. New 96
Renewed 110

SEPTEMBER.

Underground mains laid in :

North Chekiang Road and Alabaster Road.

1,200 yds. .15 sq. in. x .15 sq. in. x .15 sq. in. 1,100 volt 3-core lead covered and armoured cable.

1,576 yds. .0084 x .0084 x .0084 3-core pilot lead covered and armoured cable.

Yuhang Road and Fearon Road.

148 yds. .3 sq. in. x .3 sq. in. x .3 sq. in. 6,000 volt 3-core lead covered cable laid in earthenware troughing.

166 yds. .15 sq. in. x .15 sq. in. x .15 sq. in. 6,000 volt 3-core lead covered cable laid in earthenware troughing.

58 yds. .1 sq. in. x .1 sq. in. x .1 sq. in. 6,000 volt 3-core lead covered cable laid in earthenware troughing.

3,148 yds.=1.78 miles.

Overhead Mains.

E.H.T. 3-phase mains extended 1,160 yds.=0.65 miles

Low-tension Distributors extended 2,646 yds.=1.50 miles

" " Distributors enlarged 1,806 yds.=1.02 miles

Alleyway mains extended 2,996 yds.=1.70 miles

Poles. New 67
Renewed 100

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TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS.

CONDITIONS GOVERNING MUNICIPAL TENDERS.

1. The Council reserves to itself the right to accept the whole or part of any tender.
2. The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender or to pay any expenses which the tenderers may incur in tendering.
3. The contractor whose tender is eventually accepted may be required to give satisfactory security for the performance of the contract.
4. The names of tenderers, with prices quoted, will be published in the Municipal Gazette.
5. A fee may be charged for specifications, to be returned upon receipt of a *bonâ fide* tender.
6. Tenders, sealed and labelled on the outside as to their contents, should be forwarded, preferably by chit book or registered letter, to "The Secretary, Municipal Council, 24 Kiangse Road" not later than noon on the day fixed for their receipt.

工部局承攬信章程

一 凡有承攬各項本局公開列登下

二 凡有承攬本局各項本局承辦

三 凡有行情定價必准攬之人鄉保後方准攬承辦人到局之保證金須繳納本局認可之人方准攬承辦

四 凡有取閱或清單若干份須繳納付人之費用

五 凡有投標人之公信及保證人須繳納付人之費用

六 凡有承攬者仍由局文開列登下

所有承攬者仍所取之款一俟得選定後方准攬承辦

本局有必將其錢數在此登記內領取之時

清單送來之後即送交工部局二等工程師

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TENDERS INVITED.

No.	Description.	Fee	Date for receipt of tenders
	POLICE FORCE.		
	Information on the subject of tenders under this Section may be obtained from the Storekeeper, Gordon Road.		
41.	100 yards Blue Beaver Cloth, No. 1 quality.	—	December 31.
42.	50 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 2 ,,	—	do.
43.	2,200 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 3 ,,	—	do.
44.	400 ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 4 ,,	—	do.
45.	5,000 ,, ,, Indigo Serge.	—	do.
46.	800 ,, Khaki Woollen Serge.	—	do.
47.	2,200 ,, Cotton Lining.	—	do.
48.	75 pairs White Woollen Blankets, 63 x 84, 7lb. per pair.	—	do.
49.	250 ,, Brown Army Blankets, 68 x 90, 10lb. per pair.	—	do.
	To be delivered on or before June 30, 1915.	—	do.
	PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.		
	Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Public Works Offices, 7a The Bund.		
219.	Erection of Nieh Chih-kuei Public School for Chinese	—	November 9.
228.	Supply of Mild Steel Bars	—	November 23.
229.	Erection of Thomas Hanbury School for Boys	—	November 14.
230.	Painting and whitening at the Central Fire Station	—	November 13.
231.	Painting at Police Hospital for Chinese	—	November 13.
232.	Erection of Sentry Tower and rebuilding of Boundary Wall at the Gaol	—	November 13.
	ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT.		
	Information as to tenders under this Section may be obtained at the Electricity Offices, 66 Szechuen Road.		
110.	990 yards Extra High Tension 6,600 Volt Cable	—	To be advertised about the end of November by Messrs. Preece, Cardew & Snell, 8 Queen Anne's Gate, Westminster, from whom specifications may be obtained.
111.	62 tons Galvanised Angle, Flat and Channel Iron	—	
112.	20 Electric Cooking Ranges	—	
113.	89 miles Triple Braid Copper Wire and Cable	—	
114.	45 ,, Hard Drawn Bare Copper Cable	—	
115.	14½ ,, Vulcanised Wire and Cable	—	
116.	2 New or Second-hand Motor-cars suitable for Departmental use	—	November 11.

TENDERS RECEIVED.

POLICE FORCE.

Tender No. 39.

2,400 pairs of British Army Pattern Ankle Boots.

P. Heath & Co.	Tls. 4.50 per pair.
Hugo Reiss & Co.	Tls. 3.75 ,,
*Fredk. Large & Co.	11s. 6d. ,,

*Accepted.

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